THE WORLD AT LARGE.

Summary of the Daily News,

WASHINGTON NOTES. TELEGRAMS have been received at the Cuban legation at Washington depicting the situation in the province of Santa Clara as most critical. The Cuban army is starving and the soldiers are unable to get any meat. The vegetables are almost gone, and the last mules and horses have been killed to feed the sick. Children and old people are dying by dozens every day. Gen. Gomez appeals for aid and says his men are desperate, as the Spanish are doing all they possibly can to make the insurgents' situation more

THE war investigating committee began its labors at Washington on the 27th and gave out a number of documents bearing upon the work to be undertaken. These comprised the letter of Secretary Alger to the president requesting that the investigation be made, a brief address to the public in the shape of a resolution and a letter from Chairman Dodge to the secretary of war inclosing a list of inquiries to the secretary and to the heads of various divisions in the war department calling for specific information bearing upon the conduct of the war.

GEN. MILES, at a reception given at his home at Washington on the 29th to his comrades of the Medal of Honor Legion, denounced as false the claim that volunteer officers and soldiers were themselves responsible for the sickness in the camps and said those who assert that our soldiers suffered through their own fault insulted 250, 000 of the bravest men that ever car-ried arms under the sun.

SENATOR MCLAURIN and a delegation from South Carolina called on President McKinley on the 30th and requested that a camp be located at Columbia, S. C., and an army hospital at Charleston, and also that the latter city be made the point of debarkation for troops dispatched to Cuba and Porto The president promised to consider their request.

SECRETARY ALGER recently received a long letter from Gen. Leonard Wood, military governor of Santiago. 1t presented vividly the frightful sanitary conditions that confronted the American army of occupation after the surrender of Santiago and how they were

THE president has given instructions that all sick soldiers in Porto Rico be sent home so as to receive treatment in the better appointed home hospitals.

COL. JOHN HAY was sworn in as secretary of state at the white house on the 30th. Justice Harlan, of the United States supreme court, administered Mr. Hay at once took part in the regular cabinet meeting.

REAR ADMIRAL MONTGOMERY SICARD. chairman of the naval war board, was retired from active service on the 30th on reaching the age limit.

GENERAL NEWS.

THE Sweet Home turnpike bridge, an iron structure 252 feet long across the Fourche at Little Rock, Ark, was totally destroyed by dynamite on the The courts recently enjoined men from building a road in the vicinity of the bridge, which is owned by the county, and it is believed that spite work caused the wreckage.

According to Dun's commercial raport there were 195 failures in the United States for the week ended the 80th against 194 for the corresponding

week of last year. THE business portion of Ipswich, S.

D., was recently destroyed by fire.

It was learned on good authority that Gen. Miles would go before the army investigating commission to testify as to his knowledge of the Santiago campaign. It was also stated that the commission would go to San-tiago to look into Shafter's management of the campaign and investigate on the ground all complaints as to the alleged mismanagement in connection with the different departments now

under investigation.

JEREMIAH CASEY, a lineman for the Bell Telephone company at St. Louis, was shocked to death the other afternoon. While standing at the foot of a pole reeling some old wires eut from the cross arms the one which he was handling must have crossed a live high-tension circuit, for suddenly he gave a shrick and fell. His partner quickly cut the wire, but sould not revive him.

Indians found the dead body of a man near Keshena, Wis. The man was described as apparently about 50 years of age, full beard and gray hair. A pocketbook found near the body contained a deposit slip for \$1,000 on the bank of Beloit, Kan., to John At-

A SPECIAL from Mountain City, Tenn., said that about two o'clock a. m. on the 26th a mob of 400 men overpowered the Johnson county jailer and took John Williams, the negro who seriously stabbed Sherman Dunn and raped Mrs. Moille Shelton, from the jail and hung him to a tree about ane mile back of town.

THE general result of the voting on the prohibition plebiscite question in Canada was a comparatively small majority for prohibition, not enough to influence the government to enact pro-hibition legislation.

A TERRIBLE storm recently swept over Japan, the summary of the loss of life and property being as follows: Deaths, 250; houses swept away, 164; houses overthrown, 1,195; partially wrecked, 11,460; houses inundated, 15,-

ONE man was killed, another fatally injured and a third severely hurt in a bicycle accident at the Garfield race track at Chicago on the 30th. A triplet and a bicycle collided.

Ar a meeting of the New York democrats favoring the Chicago platform Henry George, the son of the single tax advocate, was nominated to head the independent democratic ticket for governor.

MRS. WILLIAMS, white, near Sheri-

dan, Kingfisher county, Ok., while alone with her two children, a boy of six years and a girl of four, cut off the girl's head, ripped open her abdomen and removed the viscera and then threw them into a near-by pond, where they were found soon after by passing strangers. The mother has been quite melancholy for three years, but was thought to be harmless.

MRS. SAMUEL SWARTWOOD, wife of a railroad brakeman, residing at Mountain Top, Pa., gave birth to her twen-ty-fifth child the other night. Of the arge number of children born only two sets were twins. Three of the children died. The rest are in good

health. GEN. GOMEZ, in an interview at Camp Rojas, Santa Clara province, is quoted as saving that the Cuban insurgents would disband and apply themselves to farm labor as soon as the Spanish troops evacuated the island.

A ROUGH estimate placed the aggregate loss by the recent forest fires in Wisconsin at \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000.

THE Wabash had a damaging rear-end collision at the edge of Decatur, Ill., on the St. Louis branch of the road. delaying the passage of all trains for eight hours, tearing up the track for a distance of 100 feet. A fine engine was nearly ruined and about 15 freight and coal cars were destroyed.

Forest fires were burning over Wisconsin on the 29th. At Cumberland, half the city was destroyed, five children were burned to death and a large sawmill was burned, throwing many men out of employment. Sixteen farmhouses were destroyed at Rice Lake and a large portion of the town of Clear Lake was burned. Almena and Poskin, two small towns, were reported wiped out entirely and much damage was done at other places.

JOHN WARD, until recently city marshal of Ava, Ill., has had the hiccoughs for several days and it seemed as though the physicians in charge were powerless to stop them. It was thought that the hiccoughs were caused by the condition of his liver and stomach.

THE democratic state convention at Syracuse, N. Y., on the 29th nominated Augustus Van Wyck, a brother of Greater New York's mayor, for governor and Elliott Danforth for lieutenant governor. The platform atthe conduct of the war, but otherwise confined itself to state issues, no mention being made of the Chicago platform or of the financial

THE Russian ambassador at Vienna requested that attention be called in the United States to the fact that the Russian government had decided to hold a great international poultry exhibition in May, 1899, at St. Petersburg. Official invitations are being addressed to foreign governments through the customary diplomatic

Miss Lucy Lee Hill, an examiner in the office of the civil service commission at Chicago, is the new "daughter of the confederacy." Her southern friends have conferred this honor upon her since the death of Miss Winnie Davis. She is a native of Virginia and is a distant relative of Gen. Fitzhugh Lee.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT was nominated for governor of New York on the first ballot by the republican state convention at Saratoga on the 27th.

THE ninth triennial session of the general grand chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star was opened at Washington on the 27th, nearly every grand chapter in the country being represented.

THE health conditions in Dawson, Alaska, were recently described as something deplorable and a death rate ranged from five to 17 per day. It was estimated that 9,000 people joined the rush to Stewart river and every foot of ground prospected, but no gold found.

NEARLY 3,000 carpet weavers have been thrown out of employment in Philadelphia because of the action of the ingrain carpet yarn spioners in shutting down this branch of their business. For some time the spinners have been turning out yarn about twice as fast as weavers could consume it, and this forced the price down to such an extent that it was deemed advisable to close down for a time

Five members of the family of Green Harris at Odin, Ill., were poisoned by some unknown poison. The deadly drug was in the food at dinner. Mrs. Green Harris and three children and her mother, Mrs. Hankin, all partook of the meal, and were all taken sick. At night they were reported out of danger.

THE queen of Denmark died at Copenhagen on the 29th.

A SPECIAL to the London Globe from Hong Kong on the 26th said that it was learned from a trustworthy Filipino source that France had promised to recognize the Filipino republic.

PATRICK KELLEY, a boilermaker of Atlanta, Ga., some weeks ago took s total abstinence oath, praying to be struck dumb if he broke it. The other night, surrounded by friends, he drank a glass of whisky and for some unknown reason speech instantly de-serted him. He was taken to the Grady hospital and the next morning regained the power of speech. The physicians did not know what to make of the case.

A GAS explosion in the cellar of a grocery at Peoria, Ill., resulted in the ath of Mrs. Mary Smith, serious injuries to Mr. Hudson, the proprietor, and painful injuries to W. H. Gerter.

THE people of Pans, Ill., had a terorizing time the other night. In some cases the residents of a block spent the night in one house, expecting an attack to be made on them by Alabama negroes, imported to take the place of striking white miners. The train conveying the imported negroes was, however, held up by the strikers and the negroes at the point of guns were taken from the train and afterwards started on an eastbound train to Inliana. The militia were sent to Pana by Gov. Tanner.

THE Dawes commission has issued orders that all intermarried white men were intruders and would have to leave the Indian territory. The orders have created a sensation and will affect 20,000 white men. Indian Agent Wisdom will comply with the orders of the commission. His mounted police are under orders to eject the intruders.

HALF a ton of powder exploded at Linds Road building camp, 17 miles north of New Whatcom, Wash., and killed three people. Two others were

seriously injured. THE Transmississippi Sunday school congress opened at Omaha, Neb., on the 27th with a fair attendance from all parts of the country.

A SPECIAL from Fort Reno, I. T., said that orders have been received there to get the post hospital in proper shape to receive a number of sick regular soldiers who have been doing duty in

THE triennial conference of the German Baptists of the United States and Canada at St. Louis was concluded after a session extending over a week. It was decided to meet in 1991 at Ber-

A special excursion train on the way to the Halifax (N. S.) exhibition from Picton crashed into a working train near Stellerton. The two engineers, two firemen and a passenger

A CLAREMONT, Minn., special stated that that village was wiped out by fire the other night, 22 buildings being de-

Gov. SMITH, of the soldiers' home at Santa Monica, Cal., was shot twice on the 28th by an inmate of the home. He was badly injured, but the injury was not believed to be fatal. Smith was formerly commander of the home at Leavenworth, Kan.

MADRID officials believe Cuba will be evacuated within three months.

THOMAS F. BAYARD, ex-United States enator, ex-secretary of state under President Cleveland and ex-ambassa dor to England, died on the 28th, after an illness of six weeks, at Dedham, Mass., aged 70. His body will be buried in Delaware, in which state his family was conspicuous long before the revolution.

Colorado is being swept by forest and prairie fires and ranches and mining camps are threatened with destruction.

Ar the insane asylum at St. Louis William Kerens, an inmate, went to the bunk where Benjamin F. Bevan, his cell mate, was asleep and attacked him. A fierce struggle followed, in which Kerens dashed Bevan violently to the floor and kicked him until his body was almost reduced to pulp. Kerens then turned on the guards and it required a dozen men to restrain him.

STRIKING union coal miners and imported negroes had a pitched battle at Pana, Ill., on the 25th. Several hundred shots were fired and the negroes were driven from the city to their stockades. One negro was reported as having died of his wounds.

THE distress, starvation and deaths at Matanzas, Cuba, continue unabated, the daily average of deaths upon the street corners exceeding 20. The situation in Havana was said to be not much better.

THE United States transport Massachusetts, while at Santiago, had the coal in her bunkers take fire and it was found necessary to jettison 100 tons. A portion of this coal was taken on board again. On going to sea the fire again broke out in the bunkers and smoldered for three days. It was finally extinguished by the use of steam and the steamer reached New York without further accident.

BETWEEN two and three o'clock on the morning of the 27th the safe of the Farmers' bank at Flora, Ind., was blown open by robbers, who secured close to \$12,000 and made good their escape. Cashier William Lenon, who was aroused by the noise of the explosion, appeared on the scene while the robbers were at work, was shot and it was believed will die.

JUDGE DUFFIE delivered an unusually vigorous charge to the grand jury at Hot Springs, Ark., and gave rigid instructions regarding malpractice and fraud upon visitors by disrepusprings.

Some person placed a spike on the Iron Mountain track near St. Louis and the locomotive of a passenger train jumped the track, shaking up the passengers. Before order could be stored a freight train crashed into the wrecked train from the rear. Immediately afterwards an accommodation train was stopped just in time to avert a third accident. Nobody was hurt very much.

A FIRE on the farm of John Liebel, near Fairfax, Minn., burned his barn, granary, three horses, a large amount of grain and his two small children. who, it was thought, had started the

ROBERT KENNEDY and his wife, of Buncombe, Ia., were riding home when their team became frightened at a dead horse and ran away. Both were thrown out of the buggy and Mrs. Kennedy was killed and her husband seriously injured.

THE Illinois conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, recently in session at Charleston, voted 240 ayes to one nay in favor of equal lay repre-

MRS. ROSE SANGER and her young daughter were found dead in their

Only a Heavy Rain Can Stop the Forest Fires Burning on the Rocky Mountains.

GOV. ADAMS TALKS ABOUT THE FIRES

He Thinks They Are Due Wholly to Accident-People of Pitkin County Becoming Terrfiled-Kokomo and Hahn's Peak Reported to Be in Danger-The Outlook Gloomy for Rangers.

Denver, Col., Oct. 2. - The forest fires on the west slope of the Rockies continue to spread and only a heavy rain can stop them. In the vicinity of Steamboat Springs there has been a rainfall which checked the fires there, but they are still smoldering and will start into life again unless there shall soon be more rain or snow. Local Forecaster Brandenburg says he has observed no change in weather conditions that point to rain, though the welcome prediction of the weather bureau at Washington for Colorado is "showers." Gov. Adams said to-day:

I thing the only thing that will put a stop to the fires is a good heavy rain. There is but little use in trying to put out the fires by the usual means as the fire is not continuous. From what I can learn it must be in probably 50 dif-ferent places. In my opinion the fires are due wholly to accident. Campers build a fire. A spark blows into the underbrush, which is very dry, and a fire is the result. It is so easy to start a forest fire just now that it is almost impossible to ascertain the origin of it. Sparks from railroad engines may have caused some

Within a day or two fires have appeared on the west slopes of the Pike's eak range and large sections of timber are being destroyed. Great volumes of smoke can be seen rolling over the crest of the range. The fires seem to be burning flercely along the west side of Mount Baldy, which rises to an altitude of 13,000 feet, four miles south of Pike's peak. At sundown the volume of smoke decreases

preceptibly. The people of Pitkin county are becoming terrified over the havor wrought by the fire that is now raging near Aspen. The county commissioners are advising with the city authorities as to the best methods to check the fire, but as yet no plan has been outlined. The fire on White river has burned over an area of 100 square miles and is still sweeping eastward in a stretch ten miles wide.

The people of Upper White river have fought fire for three weeks, day and night. They have been aided by Forest Rangers Dunn and Giblet. Parties from that section say they have seen nothing of the other government

The towns of Kokomo and Hahn's peak are reported to be in danger from the fires surrounding them. Glenwood Springs is enveloped in a cloud of smoke and the situation is rapidly becoming worse.

The prairie fires between Living Springs and Corona have caused a considerable loss to stockmen, and as fuller accounts are received the magitude of the disaster is more apparent. Among those burned out are Stewart & Adams and Will Epple. The range for many miles has been destroyed, and the outlook for the coming winter is not a bright one for the cattle and sheep industries of the burned districts.

STRIKING MINERS.

they Return from Tower Hill to Pany After Their Exciting Experience with the Imported Negroes.

Pana, Ill., Oct. 2.-The striking union miners returned here Saturday from Tower Hill after their exciting experiences in forcibly turning back the Indiana negroes imported by the mine operators to break the coal strike here. The miners' guns were boxed up and smuggled into town in wagons filled with hay. Large crowds congregated on the streets of Pana, but they were orderly. Not a negro appeared in the city and the quietness was only broken by the cheers accorded the soldiers as they marched through the streets. Last night Sheriff Coburn requested the militia commander, Capt. Craig, to go to Tower Hill and arrest the union miners, who had captured the negroes, and release the latter. Craig flatly refused to do so, saying he was only here to protect

the lives of citizens and property. CHINESE OUTRAGES.

Britishers and American Missionaries In suited and Attacked by a Mob at Pekin -Dangerous Feeling Abroad.

London, Oct. 2 .- The British foreign office Saturday received a dispatch from her majesty's minister at Pekin saying that Mr. Mortimer, a member of the British legation, on returning home yesterday with a lady, was insulted and attacked by a mob, which stoned him and covered him with mud. Later in the day, the dispatch adds, some American missionaries were similarly attacked, as was the Chinese secretary of the United States legation. The latter's ribs were broken. Sir Claude M. MacDonald, British minister at Pekin, reports that there is a dangerous feeling abroad. Steps have been taken to call the attention of the Chinese government to these outrages.

Camps in the South.
Washington, Oct. 2.—While no official information on the subject is forthcoming, it is said the selection of sites for camps in the south has been practically determined. It is understood they will be located at Augusta and Athens, Ga., and Columbia, Greenville and Spartansburg, S. C. The main camp will be at Augusta on a site of about 600 acres just outside the city.

Wichita, Kan., Oct. 2. - Albert Smith, an Englishman was found on the sleeping room at Milwaukee. It was street Saturday in a starving condition thought the gas had been accidentally and was taken to the hospital. He is destitute. .

HERO HAD HIS TROUBLES.

Woman's Care and Kindness Moke Him Think of Cuba with Longing.

"War is pretty bad, of course," remarked a blue-coated man with a bandage under his coat, "but I declare, in some ways, women are as bad as Spaniards—only they kill you with kindness instead of bullets. I game home from Santiago with this little wound in my hip, and, really, I can't tell you how I've suffered since, from the women of my family. It is all right, of course; this world would be a den of wild beasts without the love and sympathy of woman—but the dear creatures—especially those nearest to usgenerally overdo it. They dight's believe my message that I was only slightly wounded, so on my arrival I was met by my wife, her mother, two maiden aunts and a girl cousin, all rallied from the four quarters of Michigan and adjoining states to nurse me. I don't need any nursing worth mentioning, but, believe me, if I've drawn a long breath in two weeks without those five women jumping up and rushing at me. I will eat my army blanket. If I wink my wife says: "What is it, dear?—if I move one leg, my girl cousin springs at me with another pillow in her hand; during the night my two aunts wake me up to see if I want anything; and my mother in-law—well, the dear soul hasn't sat down or been to bed since I came—to my knowledge. My wound is nearly healed, and that's a blessing, for if I don't get back to Cuba pretty soon I'll be a ruined man. I can't stand such coddling—it will make a bloated tyrant out of me, so it will. A man needs war once in awhile to get him away from woman—dear, loving woman—she would make a spineless infant out of him in no time."—Detroit Free Press.

He Didn't Know About Hairpins.

He Didn't Know About Hairpins. "By Jove!" exclaimed the bridegroom as he sat down and tugged away at his mus tache, "this is too bad!"

tache, "this is too bad!"

They had just arrived at Niagara Falls, and the porter had bowed himself out after carrying up a trunk that weighed 487 pounds, for which he received a 50-cent "tip."

The frightened girl dropped her traveling hat upon the center table and stood as if transfixed, with one of her gloves half off. "What is it, Harry!" she asked.

"This is a fine go," he muttered. "I won der how in the world I ever came to do such a foolish thing."

der how in the world I ever came to do such a foolish thing."
Then he felt in his pockets again, and cast a helpless look at the big trunk.
"You—you haven't lost your pocketbook, have you?" she asked.
"No, darling," he answered, "but I left my keys at home, and the one that opens your trunk is among them."
"Oh, is that all?" she exclaimed, with a happy little sigh. "Here"—and she removed a hairpin from her rich brown locks—"open it with this. Now I know that I am the only girl in whom you ever took a real interest. Otherwise you would have known. Ah, Harry, dear, I am so happy!"—Cleveland Leader.

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HE WAS NOT GLADSTONE.

Which Was Just Why She Did Not Care to Listen to His Gentle Flow.

"No," remarked the early morning man in the car down from Mount Pleasant; "no, I can't say that I have my wife trained as perfectly as I could wish to have her trained, or that I shall be so fortunate as ever to have her so, but there is a good deal of pleasure in trying to. It at least gives her an idea that she is not perfect, and as long as a man can keep his wife in that state of mind it is almost as much of a comfect set is to have

almost as much of a comfort as it is to have her just what he wants her to be."
"Geehoolipins!" exclaimed a little man with a pale blue eye and a fidgety manner, "I wish I could only get my wife to your way of thinking." of thinking."
"Did you ever try?" inquired the early

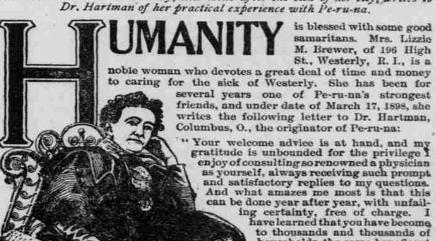
"Did I?" chuckled the little man, with a profound internal convulsion not entirely clear to the understanding of his auditors. "I should say I did. It hasn't been half an hour ago. I had something to say to my wife on the lines you suggest and was endeavoring to get an opening for my remarks, but she was talking to such an extent that I had no show at all. Finally, quite driven to desperation, but not wishing to do anything violent, I merely gave her a hint of the situation by telling her that when Mr. Gladstone talked his wife always listened in silence. And did she take it as I had intended? he asked of himself, with another one of those ambiguous chuckles.

"Did she?" inquired the early morning man, with much interest.

"Did she?" chuckled the little man. "Well, says she to me, 'I don't doubt it at all, but think who it was that Mrs. Gladstone was listening to,' and then she went right ahead with her conversation as if I hadn't been within ten miles."—Washington Star. morning man.
"Did 1?" chuckled the little man, with a

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